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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Richard J. Ernst
Serial No.: 10/687,451
Conf. No.: 8743
Filed: October 16, 2003
For: ROD HANGER FOR SECURING A
ROD TO A SUBSTRATE
Art Unit: 3632
Examiner: Epps, Todd Michael

AMENDMENT H

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 31, 2008, the Applicant through his undersigned attorney provides the following remarks.

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 31, 2008 for one month so that the period for response is extended to March 2, 2009.